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COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA

STATE CORPORATION COMMISSION

AT RICHMOND, JUNE 15, 2000

APPLICATION OF

EGIX NETWORK SERVICES OF  
VIRGINIA, INC.

CASE NO. PUC000064

For certificates of public  
convenience and necessity to  
provide local exchange and  
interexchange telecommunications  
services

FINAL ORDER

On March 13, 2000, EGIX Network Services of Virginia, Inc. ("EGIX" or "Applicant"), filed an application for certificates of public convenience and necessity with the State Corporation Commission ("Commission") to provide local exchange and interexchange telecommunications services throughout the Commonwealth of Virginia. EGIX also requested authority to price its interexchange services on a competitive basis pursuant to § 56-481.1 of the Code of Virginia.

By Order dated April 12, 2000, the Commission directed the Applicant to provide notice to the public of its application, directed the Commission Staff to conduct an investigation and file a Staff Report, and scheduled a public hearing to receive evidence relevant to EGIX's application.

On May 19, 2000, the Staff filed its Report finding that EGIX's application was in compliance with the Rules Governing the Offering of Competitive Local Exchange Telephone Service ("Local Rules") and the Rules Governing the Certification of Interexchange Carriers ("IXC Rules"). Based upon its review of EGIX's application, the Staff determined it would be appropriate to grant the Applicant certificates to provide local exchange and interexchange telecommunications services.

A hearing was conducted on June 7, 2000. EGIX filed proof of publication and proof of service as required by the April 12, 2000, Order. At the hearing, the application and accompanying attachments and the Staff Report were entered into the record without objection.

NOW THE COMMISSION, having considered the application and the Staff Report, finds that EGIX should be granted certificates to provide local exchange and interexchange telecommunications services. Having considered § 56-481.1, the Commission further finds that EGIX may price its interexchange services competitively.

Accordingly, IT IS ORDERED THAT:

(1) EGIX Network Services of Virginia, Inc., is hereby granted a certificate of public convenience and necessity, No. TT-97A, to provide interexchange services subject to the

restrictions set forth in the Commission's Rules Governing the Certification of Interexchange Carriers, 20 VAC 5-400-60.

(2) EGIX Network Services of Virginia, Inc., is hereby granted a certificate of public convenience and necessity, No. T-491, to provide local exchange telecommunications services subject to the restrictions set forth in the Rules Governing the Offering of Competitive Local Exchange Telephone Service, 20 VAC 5-400-180.

(3) EGIX shall provide tariffs to the Division of Communications that conform with all applicable Commission rules and regulations.

(4) Pursuant to § 56-481.1 of the Code of Virginia, EGIX may price its interexchange services competitively.

(5) There being nothing further to come before the Commission, this case shall be dismissed and the papers filed herein placed in the file for ended causes.